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Burial—Mausoleums, Vaults, Etc.—Plans for Construction of, to be Approved by State Board of Health. (Act No. 239, Mar. 23, 1915.)

SECTION 1. A person, firm, or corporation desiring to build, construct, or erect any mausoleum, vault, or other burial structure, the same to be built or constructed entirely above ground, or partly above ground and partly by excavation, and to be built, constructed, and erected so that the same may contain 20 or more human bodies for permanent interment, shall, before proceeding to build, construct, or erect such mausoleum, vault, or other structure, present all plans for such construction to the State board of health, and, if approved by such board, may proceed with the construction and erection of such mausoleum, vault, or other burial structure.

SEC. 2. All crypts or catacombs, if any be placed in such mausoleum, vault, or other structure, shall be so constructed that all parts thereof may be readily examined by the State board of health or any health officer, and such crypts or catacombs shall be hermetically sealed after any body shall have been placed therein so that no offensive or unhealthful odor or effluvia may escape therefrom.

SEC. 3. If a person, firm, or corporation fails to hermetically seal such crypts or catacombs, so placed or constructed in such mausoleum, vault, or other burial structure, and by reason of such failure offensive odors or effluvia arise therefrom, the State board of health or the health officer of the town, village, or city in which such mausoleum, vault, or other burial structure is located shall, upon the complaint of any resident of such town, village, or city, compel the sexton or person having charge of such mausoleum, vault, or other burial structure to immediately remove the body or bodies therefrom and properly inter the same at the expense of the person, firm, or corporation owning such mausoleum, vault, or other burial structure. If no such person, firm, or corporation can be found, then such interment shall be at the expense of the town, village, or city where such mausoleum, vault, or other burial structure is located.

SEC. 4. A person, firm, or corporation who fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of this act shall be fined not more than \$500.

Drugs, Habit-forming—Sale and Dispensing—Regulation of. (Act No. 197, Mar. 12, 1915.)

SECTION 1. On and after the 1st day of July, 1915, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to sell, furnish, give away, or deliver any opium, morphine, heroin, codeine, cocaine, cannabis indica, cannabis sativa, or any preparation thereof, or any salt or compound of said substances, except upon the written prescription or written order of a registered physician, dentist, or veterinary surgeon; bearing the name of the physician, dentist, or veterinary surgeon giving it, which prescription when filled shall show the date of each filling and shall be retained on file by the druggist filling it for a period of at least two years, and it shall not again be filled except upon the order of the prescriber, given in person or in writing. The prescription shall not be copied, except for the purpose of record, by the druggist filling the same, and it shall at all times be open to inspection by the officers of the State board of health, the board of registration in pharmacy and its authorized agents, and by the police authorities and police officers of cities and towns. But the provisions of this act shall not apply to prescriptions, nor to the sale, distribution, giving away, or dispensing of preparations and remedies, if such prescriptions, preparations, or remedies do not contain more than 2 grains of opium or more than one-quarter of a grain of morphine, or more than one-eighth of a grain of heroin, or more than 1 grain of codeine, or more than one-half of a grain of extract of cannabis indica, or more than one-half of a grain of extract of cannabis sativa, or any salt or compound

or any of them in 1 fluid ounce, or, if a solid or semisolid preparation, to the avoir-dupois ounce; nor to liniments, ointments, or other preparations which are prepared for external use only except liniments, ointments, and other preparations which contain cocaine or any of its salts; nor to compound medicinal tablets, pills, or powders containing not over one-twentieth of a grain of morphine or one-quarter of a grain of codeine or any of their salts, except heroin, to each pill, powder, or tablet: *Provided*, That such preparations, remedies, or prescriptions are sold, distributed, given away, or dispensed in good faith as medicines, and not sold for the purpose of evading the provisions of this act.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful for any practitioner of veterinary medicine or surgery, to prescribe any of the drugs mentioned in section 1 of this act for the use of a human being.

SEC. 3. The provisions of this act shall not be construed to prevent any lawfully authorized practitioner of medicine or of veterinary medicine or of dentistry from prescribing, administering, or dispensing any drug that may be indicated for any patient under his care: *Provided*, That such prescribing, administering, or dispensing is not for the purpose of evading the provisions of this act: *And provided further*, That every physician, veterinarian, and dentist shall keep a record in a suitable book of the names and addressees of all patients to whom he dispenses narcotics.

SEC. 4. Any manufacturer or jobber and any wholesale druggist and any registered pharmacist, physician, veterinarian, or dentist may sell opium, morphine, codeine, cocaine, heroin, cannabis indica, cannabis sativa, or any preparation thereof, or any salt or compound of such substances to any manufacturer, jobber, wholesale druggist, registered pharmacist, physician, veterinarian, or dentist, or to any incorporated hospital; but such substances or preparations, except such as are included within the exemptions set forth in section 1, shall be sold only upon a written order duly signed by such manufacturer, jobber, wholesale druggist, pharmacist, physician, veterinarian, dentist, or superintendent of such incorporated hospital, which order shall state the article or articles ordered and the date. The said orders shall be kept on file in the laboratory, warehouse, pharmacy, or store in which they are filled, by the proprietor thereof, or his successors, for a period of not less than two years from the date of delivery, and shall be at all times open to inspection by officers of the State board of health, members of the board of registration in pharmacy, or their authorized agents, and by the police authorities and police officers of cities and towns.

SEC. 5. Any person who, for the purpose of evading or assisting in the evasion of any provision of this act shall falsely represent that he is a physician, dentist, or veterinarian, or that he is a manufacturer, jobber, wholesale druggist, or pharmacist, or an agent or employee of an incorporated hospital, or who, not being an authorized physician, dentist, or veterinarian, makes or alters a prescription for any of the said substances, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this act.

SEC. 6. A person who violates a provision of the preceding sections of this act or who aids or abets another in the violation thereof, shall be fined not more than \$1,000 nor less than \$50, or be imprisoned not more than one year, or both. Justices and municipal and country courts shall have concurrent jurisdiction of offenses under this act.

SEC. 7. The State board of health shall make a chemical analysis to determine the composition and quality of any substance mentioned in this act on application of the State's attorney of any county and shall furnish a certificate certifying to the composition or quality thereof. Such certificate, under seal of the State board of health which shall be affixed by the chemist thereof making the analysis, shall be *prima facie* evidence of the composition and quality of the substance analyzed.